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ANNOUNCEMENTS.

For Congress.

The Graphic is authorized to announce Hon. Joe T. Robinson, of Leno county a candidate for Congress from the Sixth Congressional District, subject to the action of the Democratic primaries.

SINGULAR.

Governor Donaghey says that Hon. C. C. Kavanaugh should have said yes or no when he was asked to sign the Ellis petition, which statement is singular in the extreme when one considers the fact that the governor has refused to say yes or no on matters of vital importance more times than he has fingers and toes. For instance the governor has refused to say yes or no on the prohibition question, or what is a great deal worse.

he has said yes to the prohibitionists and no to the liquor men when asked if he stood for prohibition. Again for instance, sundry petitions for law enforcement in Hot Springs have been presented to the governor who promptly stuck them in pigeon holes and left them there. Another petition for the pardon of W. Y. Ellis, signed it is said, by over ten thousand people, lies in a pigeon hole in the governor's office, and to all these things the governor has returned no answer.

In the light of these facts, the governor's remark to Kavanaugh was in bad taste, to say the least; for he has no right to demand of another what he lacks in the courage to do himself. Furthermore, Kavanaugh's attitude in the matter of the Ellis pardon was taken out of deference to the governor and had in it all the elements of manliness and courtesy. If the governor has not the manhood to risk a decision himself he should at least refrain from criticising an honorable act of his opponent.—Hot Springs Bulletin.

LOCAL NEGROES

MAY GET JOBS

They Can be Appointed to Take Census Among Negroes, Says Director Durand of Washington—Will Not Visit the White Homes.

Several Pine Bluff negroes are most likely to be named as census enumerators in this city and county, if they stand the efficiency test, which is to be given applicants. The negroes will be expected to take census among negroes and not visit white homes, which will be covered by white enumerators. A special from Washington on this subject says:

Predicting that the coming count will show approximately 10,000,000 negroes in the United States, directing that negroes be selected to count their race in those enumeration districts blacks muster two-fifths or more of the population and requiring both white and negro enumerators in many southern districts to preclude negroes from enumerating white, Census Di-

rector Durand today issued general instructions to supervisors:

"Negroes doubtless can obtain the information required from their own race more accurately than white enumerators," says Mr. Durand. "I do not consider it desirable that in the South negroes should enumerate white families. In the South negro enumerators would not be able to obtain as accurate statistics regarding the white population as white enumerators could."

The instructions approved by Secretary Nagel, subject all applicants to the efficiency test.

CAPITAL MERCHANT

IS A BANKRUPT

Al Cohn's Liabilities Amount to \$10,000—Others File Petitions in Bankruptcy.

Little Rock, Ark. Jan. 4.—Al Cohn, a prominent clothier of Main street, was today forced into bankruptcy through a petition filed in the United States District Court by Cutler & Crostee of Chicago, who allege an in-

debtedness of \$259,500; A. Guggenheim & Co., of Philadelphia, who have a claim for \$132 and Marcus Loeb & Co., of Atlanta, who allege Cohn owes it \$286.75. The petitioners claim Cohn transferred a part of his property to Joseph Kempner in an effort to make a preferred creditor, and thus committed an act of bankruptcy. Cohn admitted his insolvency and the Mercantile Trust Co., was late yes-

terday afternoon appointed as receiver by Judge Jacob Trieber, after filing a bond for \$25,000. It is said Cohn has liabilities amounting to about \$40,000 and will have assets which will pay about 25 per cent of the indebtedness. Yesterday was a very good day for bankruptcy anyway. W. T. Perry, an Argenta brakeman, filed a petition in bankruptcy, giving \$500 liabilities with no assets. N.

Gurdin, a merchant of Lake Village, also filed a petition in bankruptcy during the afternoon. He shows liabilities amounting to \$20,000, with assets to about \$14,000. Of this \$10,000 is in a stock of merchandise and about \$1,300 is in accounts. The bankrupt claims about \$500 worth of the property as his exemptions.

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